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COACH SMITH HAS FIFTY PLAYERS ON GRIDIRON

Three Squads at Work Every Evening—Wake Forest Eleven to Play Game With Sailors.

EXPECT TO TURN OUT A WINNER

Prospects at Agricultural and Mechanical Unusually Bright—Bean, a Baseball Star, is a Candidate for Right Halfback Honors.

WAKE FOREST, September 15.—Coach Smith has the men engaged in a lengthy scrimmage yesterday afternoon, and is pushing practice forward as rapidly as possible. The first game is only ten days off, and it will be with the Battleship Franklin at Wake Forest. Some prep team may be met Saturday, although no definite announcement has yet been made.

Worked on the field, and Smith has three squads running every evening. Several new men have entered college within the last few days who have good football reputations. Derby, a back field man, comes from Mary High. He was used as a while yesterday afternoon at quarterback, at which position Smith will probably keep him. Hudson, a former Agricultural and Mechanical back field star, is reported for practice this afternoon. He will probably be used in the back field, and should prove a valuable acquisition to the squad. The other new men are that Witherspoon, who played for Davidson last season, will enter college within the next few days. Witherspoon is a fast, brainy player, a good punter, and weighs about 175 pounds.

Captain Moore at right tackle is the nucleus around which the line will be built. Moore is a hard working player. Blackman, a last year second string man, is being used at the other tackle. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good tackle. Stallings last year's variety guard, has been shifted to center, and has shown good form in all of the scrimmages. Abernathy is being used at left guard. He played this position for Wake Forest last year, and is a heavy man on the field. Parker, another heavy man who has had some football experience at Agricultural and Mechanical College, is being used at the other guard. Harris is the only one of the fastest men on the team, a sure tackle, and will likely develop into a star. The team is holding has been putting up a great game at the other end and seems to be assured of a berth in the championship. He is a good ground gainer and a fast tackler. Lee last year's variety guard, is showing great form. He is a member of the University of Virginia, and has been used at center. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good center. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good center. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good center.

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OUTLOOK FOR ATHLETICS PROMISING AT TRINITY

(Continued from Fourth Page.)

Trinity will not lack for substitutes. Manager Lambeth has a number of men who are busy negotiating with a prospective coach, and although definite announcement has not yet been made, it is rumored that the coach will be Professor H. G. Hedrick, of the law school. Hedrick, while a student at Trinity, was a member of the football team, and has shown great promise. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good player. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good player. He is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good player.

American Association.
At Louisville—Louisville, 7; Cleveland, 4.
At Columbus—Indianapolis, 3; Columbus, 4.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 4; Kansas City, 2. (First Game).
At Milwaukee—St. Paul, 7; Milwaukee, 0. (First Game).
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Alleged Shoe Thief.
James Blance, colored, was yesterday arrested by Detectives Sergeant Wiley and Kellam, charged with being a suspicious character, suspected of stealing a lot of shoes from Boshen & Brother.

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY HOLDS FIRST FOOTBALL PRACTICE

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY, VA., September 15.—The first scrimmage of the season was held yesterday afternoon, and one touchdown was scored by the varsity before Coach Bernier gave the word to go to the showers. The melee was of about five minutes, and the game was a usual snap and form was shown for this stage of practice.

The first team lined up as follows: Perkins, fullback; Driver and Pendleton, halves; Bugg, quarter; Oliver and Amick, ends; Elbel and Shackelford, tackles; Guthrie and Adams, guards; Bowling, center.

IMPROVEMENT IS DUE TO BLACKBOARD DIAGRAMING

Coach Gorton Teaching A. and L. Squads Formations, Men Are Carried Through Hard Drill.

LEXINGTON, September 15.—An direct result of the blackboard diagraming on Saturday afternoon there was marked improvement in the work of the football men today. Great improvement was in evidence in handling the ball as well as in the carrying out of the formations. In order that the men might receive the most benefit from the blackboard, Coach Gorton divided the squad into four sections. Section A, made up of the more advanced men, was under the direction of himself, the other sections being under the direction of the assistant coaches. The men were carried through hard drill, and the blackboard was used to show the formations and the carrying out of the formations. The men were carried through hard drill, and the blackboard was used to show the formations and the carrying out of the formations.

The four picked teams after drilling in the blackboard positions ended with a supply signal drill preparatory to the first scrimmage.

Present indications it appears that the most likely candidates for end positions are Hoiderly, Pettiford, Marshall and Stiles. Hoiderly is showing a great deal of promise, and is expected to develop into a good end. Pettiford is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good end. Marshall is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good end. Stiles is a fast player and is expected to develop into a good end.

The bucking strap a new innovation in Southern football will be brought into play in addition to the bucking dummy.

AMUSEMENTS

Academy—"Within the Law," matinee and night.
Columbia—Gracie Scott Company in "The Wives," matinee and night.
Lyric—Popular vaudeville, matinee and night.
Bijou—"The Cabaret Girls," matinee and night.

"Within the Law" Thrills and Entertains as Before.
Bayard Veiller's gripping drama of the underworld, "Within the Law," began its third engagement at the Academy of Music last night, and proved that it has lost none of its power to entertain and to thrill.

The cast, headed by Clara Joel, is practically the same as that seen in the play made its second appearance in Richmond last season. There is a new element in the cast, and it is the young woman who assumed that role last season, but the part is so cleverly written so alive with humor, that it is almost impossible for any actress to spoil it completely. There is also a change in the casting of the character of the young man, and the substitution of another man is not material.

Miss Joel plays Mary Turner with even more power, pathos and beauty than she displayed last year. She has grown and matured in the part, until her performance is practically flawless as an example of work and very beautiful as an interpretation.

The production itself is much finer than any that has been seen here before with the piece. It is heavy, solid and well acted. The play is a masterpiece of the best play of its kind that has been produced in this city. It is a masterpiece of the best play of its kind that has been produced in this city.

Bright Farce—Comedy Joyously Played.
Few plays offered by the Grayce Scott Company since its opening have been so successful as "Our Wives." The piece, selected by Manager Lambeth for the second engagement of its second season, is a combination of some love interest, more than a little humor, and a great deal of farce. "Our Wives" is a play that is sure to appeal to any member of the company, and it is a play that is sure to appeal to any member of the company.

And they all play in just that spirit, while the three audiences that have seen it to date are all in the same way. The play is a masterpiece of the best play of its kind that has been produced in this city. It is a masterpiece of the best play of its kind that has been produced in this city.

Gets \$2,700 For Leg
Damages in the sum of \$2,700 were awarded yesterday by the Law and Equity Court to Clayton Cobb, who sued the Southern Railway Company for injuries received when he was struck by a train at Elton College, N. C.

The declaration set forth that Mr. Cobb on May 16, 1914, purchased a ticket from the station agent at Elton College entitling him to a first-class passage to Burlington, N. C. It was charged that while the station agent knew that Cobb had a ticket he made no attempt to stop the train which he was due to take. The plaintiff made an attempt to board the moving train, and was struck by a car which was being pushed by the engine. The accident resulted in the amputation of the right leg and the damage suit followed.

MANY WAR RUMORS FAVORABLE TO BEARS

CHICAGO, September 15.—The export in wheat is again on a large scale, as shown by the takings of 14,000,000 bushels at Chicago and 14,000,000 bushels at St. Louis. Normal conditions since late Monday. Normal conditions since late Monday. Normal conditions since late Monday.

Export clearances have fallen off the past two weeks, but they are expected to show an enormous total from this time forward. When it was seen that Liverpool refused to follow Monday's sharp break in wheat at Chicago, there were many shorts who wanted to get under cover and they bid the price up early, but on the advance the bears again attacked it and drove it down considerably below the resting spots of Monday. It was a most erratic market, with a public buying large chunks of the December future on all sides. Great caution was shown by the State, and it was not until late in the day that the wheat was being taken by strong hands. Prices advanced 23-27 in the day.

There were many war rumors in circulation but they all favored the bear side. There were rumors of a sale against increased cash wheat purchases in the country, which, with the war news, had caused a reaction in the market. A rumor that the Government had bought 100,000 bushels of wheat for the army and navy, and that the Government had bought 100,000 bushels of wheat for the army and navy, and that the Government had bought 100,000 bushels of wheat for the army and navy.

Cats were 17-21-24, higher on a big export trade coupled with the fact that the market was not only in Chicago, but in the country as well. The market was an unsettled one, and it is expected that the changes in wheat, and it is expected that the changes in wheat, and it is expected that the changes in wheat.

DEDICATE HEADQUARTERS

Woman's Prohibition League of America Holds Special Exercises.

Dedicated last night at the headquarters of the Woman's Prohibition League of America, North Fifth Street, Mrs. J. J. McDerrott, president of the organization, presided at the meeting. The rooms at headquarters were elaborately decorated with flowers and bunting, and the league's colors, orange and white, were prominently displayed.

Short speeches were made by Rev. E. J. Richardson, field secretary of the Anti-Saloon League in Virginia, Rev. W. J. James, pastor of Grace Avenue Baptist Church, Rev. H. D. C. Macmillan, D. D., pastor of Seventh Street Christian Church, and other clergymen. A special musical program was rendered by the male quartet of Barton Heights, and the organization of the league was discussed.

Prayer services were conducted on Tuesday, September 22, the date of the State-wide prohibition election. In twenty-two churches of the city, workers of the league are holding prayer services, and the work will continue until the election is held.

CHARTER GRANTED

The Purdy Corporation of Richmond was yesterday granted a charter by the State Corporation Commission.

The corporation is organized for the purpose of manufacturing and distributing ice cream. The corporation is organized for the purpose of manufacturing and distributing ice cream. The corporation is organized for the purpose of manufacturing and distributing ice cream. The corporation is organized for the purpose of manufacturing and distributing ice cream.

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Speeding Charge Against Youth.
W. E. Sullivan, aged eighteen, was yesterday arrested on a warrant charging him with speeding an automobile. The warrant was sworn out against him by Policeman Clarke.

Held as Runaways.
Charles Mason, thirteen years old, and W. E. Lamkin, fourteen years old, were taken in charge by Patrolman Burtch as fugitives from their parents. The boys, who live in Norfolk, were taken to the city of Norfolk yesterday morning and held in the city of Norfolk. The boys, who live in Norfolk, were taken to the city of Norfolk yesterday morning and held in the city of Norfolk.

SATURDAY FINAL DAY TO MAKE STATE FAIR ENTRIES

Prominent Stock Raisers Like Governor Stuart, Thomas H. W. and Others Will Vie for Honors.

Only four days remain in which exhibitors can make entries for the Virginia State Fair, which begins two weeks from next Monday and continues day and night throughout the week of October 3-10. The management has made an urgent appeal to all farmers to enter their entries as soon as possible, and to prevent disappointment in the fact that the fair will be given promptly.

Thomas P. Ryan, owner of the celebrated cattle farm in Nelson County, will again be an exhibitor, and his display of select Quaker stock will be larger and more comprehensive than the display last year. Mr. Ryan's exhibit will cause other stock raisers in the State to take notice of his very select stock. Among the exhibitors will be Governor Henry C. Stuart, whose Mount Vernon estate will vie in purity of blood with the farm of that name from Ryan's Nelson County farm.

Numerous clerks are now engaged in systematizing the entries, which are being received daily from all sections of the State. While the office force is doing this work an army of workers are putting the grounds in proper condition for the annual show. The grounds have been reworked so that all departments will have larger display space this year, while the midway has been extended and all of the drive and walkways have been given special attention. They will be practically mud and water proof, so that rains as hard as were experienced last year, will not prevent spectators from going to and from the various exhibit halls and tents scattered throughout the grounds.

COMMISSION MEETS

Virginia Representatives to Panama Exposition Hold Business Session.

With only one member, State Senator Wm. H. Holt, of Newport News, absent, a meeting of the Virginia Commission to the Panama-Pacific Exposition was held in the office of Governor Stuart yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The session was brief, the commission giving attention to some business details in connection with the construction of the Virginia Building.

Commissioner W. W. Baker, of Chesapeake, and Secretary Alexander Forward, of Norfolk, presided over the meeting. The commission is a committee of electrical fixtures and authorized to purchase the antique fixtures to be installed in the Virginia Building. The fixtures will be as nearly as possible in the style of the time of George Washington.

Bills and accounts were audited and ordered paid, among them a bill due for the use of the Virginia Building. The reproduction of the home of Washington is completed and its contents are being moved into the building. Governor Stuart presided at the meeting, and there were also present Captain E. A. Secord, of Norfolk, and John T. Lewis, of Mecklenburg.

AMUSEMENTS

ACADEMY—To-Day
Matinee and Night.
The Dramatic Season.

WITHIN THE LAW
With Clara Joel.
Prices: Mat., 25c to \$1.00. Night, 25c to \$1.50.

Grayce Scott Colonial
Matinee Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

"Our Wives"
Prices: 25, 35 and 50c.

EMPIRE—This Week
THE LUCILLE LAVERNE CO.

BIJOU—All Week
Mat.: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

THE CABARET GIRLS
With Mike Kelly.
Next Week—THE CITY SPORTS.

The Confederate Museum
Twelfth and Clay Streets.
Open 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Free 2 A. M. to 5 P. M. on Saturdays.

The Valentine Museum
Eleventh and Clay Streets.
Hours 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission 25c. Free on Saturdays.

CASE OF PORTSMOUTH WILL BE HEARD TO-DAY

City Wants Increased Assessment of \$500,000 on Property of Seaboard Air Line Railway.

The petition of the city of Portsmouth for an increased assessment of about \$500,000 on the property of the Seaboard Air Line Railway will come up to-day at 12 o'clock in the rooms of the State Corporation Commission. In the general hearing on September 8, the contention of the city of Portsmouth that what is termed "other real estate" should be assessed annually was sustained, notwithstanding the fact that the city had entered into an agreement with the Seaboard Air Line for a five-year period of the Atlantic Coast Line four years ago.

Many attorneys have claimed that railroad property used exclusively for railroad purposes could be reassessed annually, but that real estate assessed under the five-year limit of the past year should be reassessed annually. The Seaboard Air Line will be represented by W. L. Stanley and the City of Portsmouth by James A. Mulvey.

Assaulted With Hatchet

Walter Carrington, colored, was attacked by a man said to have been William Neighbors, with a hatchet at Kingman & Company's plant, Fifteenth and Calverton streets, yesterday afternoon. Carrington was taken to the City Hospital, where his condition was said to be serious.

Glenn at Pulaski

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
PULASKI, Va., September 15.—The announcement has been made that ex-Governor Glenn, of North Carolina, will address the voters of Pulaski County on Thursday night at the courthouse. The issue to be discussed will be State-wide prohibition.

"BUY-A-BALE" MOVEMENT IS INDORSED BY LYNCHBURG

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, Va., September 15.—In a well-attended meeting to-day local commercial organizations appointed a committee to devise means whereby the "buy-a-bale" movement could be carried out in Lynchburg. Commercial interests may be identified with the move in the South to hold the cotton crop for market readjustments. Business men here are expected to favor heartily the "buy-a-bale" movement.

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